

**Form S-5: Sage-Grouse Site-Scale Habitat Suitability Worksheet –
Riparian Summer/Late Brood-Rearing Habitat**

Date:	County:	State:	Evaluator(s):			
Population:			Home Range Name:			
Land Cover Type:						
Site Type (circle one):	Riparian Areas	Wetland/Wet Meadows	Springs	Lakebeds	All	Other
Number of Transects:			Area (ha/ac) or Distance (km/mi) Sampled:			
List UTM Coordinates (coordinates, zone, datum) of All Transects:						

Habitat Indicator Suitability Range							
Habitat Indicator	\bar{x} or n	Suitable	✓	Marginal	✓	Unsuitable	✓
Riparian Stability		Majority of areas are in PFC		Majority of areas are FAR		Majority of areas are NF	
PFC (<i>n</i>)							
FAR (<i>n</i>)							
NF (<i>n</i>)							
Preferred Forb Availability (relative to site potential)		Preferred forbs are common with appropriate numbers of species present		Preferred forbs are common but only a few species are present		Preferred forbs are rare	
Number of Preferred Forb Species (<i>n</i>)							
Availability of Sagebrush Cover (mean)		Sagebrush cover is adjacent to brood-rearing areas (<100 m)		Sagebrush cover is in close proximity to brood-rearing areas (100 to 275 m)		Sagebrush cover is unavailable (>275 m)	

Site-Scale Suitability	Suitable		Marginal		Unsuitable	
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Drought Condition (circle one):	Extreme Drought	Severe Drought	Moderate Drought	Mid-Range
	Moderately Moist	Very Moist	Extremely Moist	

Rationale for Overall Suitability Rating: